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Sir:

The undersigned attorney for the Applicants identified above requests an indication of the status of processing of this application.

The Response to the Notification of Defective Response was mailed to the U.S. Patent Office via Express Mail on February 8, 2008. The Response satisfied all outstanding requirements. The undersigned has heard nothing further from the Office in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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